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In re the application of: Richard Edward THOMAS

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Dear Sir:

This is in response to the final Office Action dated September 17, 2002. A Request for Continued Examination (RCE), along with the appropriate fee (including extension fee), are being being filed concurrently herewith.

Responsive to the Action, please amend the application as follows:

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